

STATE OF WASHINGTON
WASHINGTON STATE LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD

RULE PURPOSE STATEMENT

I. TITLE:

WAC 314-20-100 BEER WHOLESALE PRICE POSTING.

WAC 314-20-105 BEER SUPPLIERS' PRICE FILING CONTRACTS AND
MEMORANDA.

II. DESCRIPTION OF PURPOSE:

The purpose of the proposed amendment to these two rules is to change the time posting requirements for beer to be the same as the time posting requirements for wine.

III. STATUTORY RULE-MAKING AUTHORITY: RCW 66.08.030

STATUTES IMPLEMENTED BY THE RULE: RCW 66.08.030(r)

IV. SUMMARY OF RULE AND REASONS SUPPORTING PROPOSED ACTION:

A. Summary of Rule:

The current rule lists the filing deadlines and exceptions for the posting of beer prices by wholesalers and suppliers. The change proposed would move the required filing dates from the 15th of the month with a five-day grace period for beer suppliers to the 25th of each month with a grace period extending to the first of the subsequent month for beer suppliers. The filing date for beer wholesalers would change from the current 1st of each month with a five-day grace period to the 10th of each month with a five-day grace period. The effective date of beer suppliers price postings would be changed from the 15th of the month following their postings to the 1st of the second month following their posting. The effective date of the beer wholesalers price postings would be changed from the 15th of the month when posted to the 1st of the month following the posting.

B. Reason Supporting Proposed Action:

The rule amendments will establish more convenient dates for industry filing of price posting information by making the deadlines the same for beer and wine. There will be no additional work for agency personnel as a result of these amendments.

V. AGENCY PERSONNEL INVOLVED:

In addition to the Board, the following agency personnel have responsibility for drafting, implementing, and enforcing this rule:

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VI. PERSON OR ORGANIZATION PROPOSING RULE:

These rule amendments were proposed as a result of a petition filed by the Washington Beer and Wine Wholesalers Association.

VII. AGENCY COMMENTS: None

VIII. NECESSITY OF RULE:

This rule was not made necessary as a result of federal law or federal or state court action.

IX. SMALL BUSINESS ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT:

There will be no negative cost impact for this rule.

Submitted in accordance with RCW 34.04.045, RCW 34.04.025, and chapter 19.85 RCW, this 4th day of September, 1985.


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Member of the Board